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Colonial Service in French and

OF THE

Nathaniel and Samuel Greenwood of Boston, and

NAME.	DESCENT.	TOWN.	RANK.	CAPTAIN OR COMPANY.
Benjamin. ⁴ . . .	Samuel, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel. ¹	Boston	Corporal	Rich ^d Atkins.
Caleb. ³	William, ² Thomas. ¹	Sherborn.	Private.	Joseph Perre.
Isaac. ²	Nathaniel. ¹	Boston.	Captain . . . . .	.....
Isaac. ⁸	Samuel, ² Nathaniel. ¹	"	Chaplain.	Thom. Frankland.
James. ⁴	Daniel, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Sutton.	Clerk.	John Learned.
"	" " "	"	Corporal.	Solomon Holman.
"	" " "	Sutton.	Ensign.	Samuel Trask.
"	" " "	"	1st Lieut. . . . .	.....
"	James, ⁸ James, ² Thomas. ¹	Sherborn.	Corporal	David White.
"	" " "	Holliston.	Sergeant.	Samuel Bullard.
John. ⁴	Josiah, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Newton.	Private.	Ephraim Jackson.
" (V.)	Nathaniel, ² Samuel. ¹	Boston.	"	James Gray.
" ⁶	Isaac, ⁴ Isaac, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel. ¹	"	Fifer.	Martin Gay.
" ⁵	" " " "	"	"	Lt. John Greenwood. (his uncle).
Joseph. ⁸	Samuel, ² Nathaniel. ¹ . . . . .	.....	.....	.....
"	" "	"	Soldier.	Lawrence White.
"	" "	"	Private.	W ^m Angier.
" . . . . .	" " . . . . .	.....	" . . . . .	Giles Harris.
" . . . . .	" " . . . . .	.....	.....	—— Whitney.
"	William, ² Thomas. ¹	Sherborn.	Private.	Joseph Perre.
"	Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Holden.	Sergeant.	John Biglo.
Miles. ³	Nathaniel, ² Samuel. ¹	Boston.	Lieutenant.	Giles Harris.
" . . . . .	" " . . . . .	" . . . . .	.....	Simon Jefferds.
"	" "	"	Secretary. . . . .	.....
Nathaniel.	(brother of Miles; b. 1732 ?)	"	Ensign.	John Gore.
Samuel. ²	Samuel. ¹ . . . . .	" . . . . .	.....	.....
" ²	Nathaniel. ¹ . . . . .	" . . . . .	.....	.....
" ³	Samuel, ² Nathaniel. ¹	"	Captain. . . . .	.....
" ⁴	Samuel, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel. ¹	"	Secretary. . . . .	.....
Thomas	(Not known.) . . . . .	.....	.....	.....
" ⁴	Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Holden.	Private.	John Biglo.
William. ³	William, ² Thomas. ¹	Sherborn.	Corporal.	Joseph Perre.
(Name not given.) . . . . .	.....	Boston.	Captain.	Benj. Hallowell, Jr.

Indian Wars, 1650-1775,

DESCENDANTS OF

Thomas Greenwood of Newton, Mass.

COLONEL OR REGIMENT.	SERVICE.	TIME.
Joseph Williams.....	Reported: Discharged Sept. 16.....	6 m. 21 d. from Ap. 3, 1758.
.....	List of men, 16 to 60, Sherborn, March 14, 1757.....	
Brigantine.	Taken by a French picaroon; loss of £1,000 cash.....	About March, 1694-5.
H. M. S. "Rose Frigate."	{ Enlisted, Boston, Mass., Nov. 10, 1743.....	Several prizes taken in 1744, and on Dec. 1
.....	{ Discharged, Charleston, S. C., May 22, 1745.	the French Register ship "Conception,"
.....		of great value.
.....	Crown Point Expedition; entered service Sept. 24, 1755...	7 wks.
John Chandler, Jr.....	Relief of Fort Wm. Henry.....	17 d. in Aug. 1757.
John Chandler.	List of Officers in 1st Worc. Co. Regt., 1771.....	
"	"	
Joseph Williams.....	Reported: Discharged July 24, 1758.....	3 m. 12 d. from May 2, '58.
.....	List of Foot Co., dated April 22, 1757.....	
.....	Reported: Died October 8, 1760.....	7 m. 10 d.
.....	Reported: 22 years old; Deserted.	Entered service May 13, 1761.
(John) Winslow.....	Boston Regt., 4th Co.....	About 1772.
Indep. Co. of Falmouth	.....	1773-'75.
(Portland).		
.....	Mustered by Jas. Warren, Jr., Sept. 25, 1755.....	
.....	Crown Point Expedition: marched from Albany to Boston..	13 w. 2d. from Sept. 15, 1755.
Joseph Williams.....	Reported: Discharged Nov. 1.....	7 m. 2 d. from May 1, 1758.
.....	" 51 years of age.....	25 w. 3 d. from July 1, 1761.
— Bagley.	On billeting-roll, march from Lake George.....	1758.
.....	List of men, 16 to 60, Sherborn, March 14, 1757.....	
John Chandler, Jr.....	March from Holden for relief of Fort Wm. Henry.....	17 d. in Aug. 1757.
.....	.....	35 w. 4 d. from Ap. 18, 1761.
.....	.....	5 m. 8 d. from July 1, 1762.
.....	Secretary of Governor ——— of Nova Scotia?.....	
Joseph Jackson.	List of Officers comm ^d for the Boston Regiment in 1763	Winter 1705-'6.
.....	Prisoner in Mexico.....	1710 & 1711.
.....	On Committee for fitting out the two Port Royal Expeditions.	1722-'42.
Boston Regiment. ....	.....	1739-42.
.....	Secretary of Gov. Jonathan Belcher of Massachusetts.	Claimant for bounty land.
.....	Expedition to Canada, 1690, under Sir Wm. Phipps.....	17 d. in Aug. 1757.
John Chandler, Jr.....	Relief of Fort Wm. Henry.	
.....	List of men, 16 to 60, Sherborn, March 14, 1757.	
Ship "King George."..	Capt. Greenwood's servant served on board (no name given).	8 w. 4 d. from Nov. 12, 1760.

REVOLUTIONARY

OF THE

Nathaniel and Samuel Greenwood of Boston,

NAME.	DESCENT.	TOWN.	RANK.	CAPTAIN OR COMPANY.
Aaron. ⁴	Caleb, ³ William, ² Thomas. ¹	Sherborn.	Private.	Henry Leland.
"	" " "	"	"	— Morse.
"	" " "	"	"	Walter McFarland
"	" " "	"	"	Staples Chamberlain.
Abel. ⁴	James, ³ James, ² Thomas. ¹	Frankingham.	"	Samuel King.
"	" " "	"	Drummer.	Joseph Winch
"	" " "	"	"	David Brewer
Abijah. ⁵	Joseph, ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Hubbardston.	Corporal.	William Moreau
Asa. ⁵	" " " "	Holden.	Private.	Samuel Hubbard.
"	" " " "	"	"	Ebenezer Blake.
"	" " " "	"	"	Benj. Haywood.
Bela. ⁴	Jonas, ³ William, ² Thomas. ¹	Sherborn.	Fifer.	John Home
"	" " "	"	"	Joshua Leland
"	" " "	"	"	Staples Chamberlain.
Benjamin. ³	Nathaniel, ² Samuel. ¹	Boston.	Private.	Lt. Jabez Hatch.
Daniel. ⁵	Daniel, ⁴ Daniel, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Sutton.	"	Abijah Burbank.
Ebenezer. ¹	Josiah, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Newton.	"	Jeremiah Wiswall.
Enoch. ⁵	Thomas, ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Westborough.	"	
"	" " " "	"	"	Timothy Brigham.
"	" " " "	"	"	Isaac Harrington.
Francis. ⁴	(prob. brother of Aaron.)	Hopkinton.	"	Staples Chamberlain.
"	" " "	"	"	John Hayward
Holms.	Nath ^{1,4} John, ³ Thomas, ² Thomas. ¹	Rehoboth (or Warren, R. I.)	Boy.	
Isaac. ⁵	Nathan ^{1,4} Josiah, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Newton.	Private.	Abram Pierce.
"	" " " "	"	"	Isaac Pope.
"	Isaac, ⁴ Isaac, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel. ¹	Boston.	Seaman.	Israel Bishop.
"	" " " "	"	"	W. Coles

SERVICES

DESCENDANTS OF

and Thomas Greenwood of Newton, Mass.

COLONEL OR REGIMENT.	SERVICE.	TIME.
Samuel Bullard.....	Lexington alarm.....	11 days, Apr. '75.
— Putnam.....	Continental Army, 5th Regiment.....	Feb. '77 to Dec. '79.
Cyprian Howe.....	Reinforcement for Continental Army in R. I.	3 mos. from Oct. 30, '81.
— Dean.....	Tiverton, R. I.	11 days from Mch. 7, '81.
Joseph Whitney.....	Camp at Hull.....	1 m. 2 d. from June 21, '76; 3 m. from Aug. 1, '76; 1 m. 3 d. from Nov. 1, '76.
Samuel Bullard.	Northern Army under Gen. Gates	2 m. 19 d. from Aug. 16, '77.
Abner Perry.....	To R. I. by order of Council.	14 d. from July 28, '80.
Eph. Doolittle.	Lexington alarm.....	17 days, April '75.
Job Cushing.....	In Northern Army.....	3 mos. from Sept. 3, '75.
Nathan Wade.....	In R. I.....	12 mos. from Jan. 1, '78.
Lt. Col. Calvin Smith...	Reinforcement to Army, West Point.....	6 m. from July 12, '80.
Jonathon Reed.....	Guards at Cambridge, over Burgoyne's army.....	3 m. from Apr. 2, '78.
Abner Perry	R. I. alarm.....	14 d. from July 23, '80.
— Dean.....	Tiverton, R. I., by order of Gov. Hancock.....	11 d. from Mch. 7, '81.
Maj. Andrew Symmes...	Boston Regiment, on guard in town.	5 wks. from May 12, '77.
Jacob Davis	R. I. alarm.....	9½ d. from July 30, '80.
— Hatch	Dorchester Heights.....	5 dys. from Mch. 4, '76.
Paul D. Sargent	16th Cont. Regt. (late 28th).....	Prisoner, Fort Washington, Nov. 16, '76.
Job Cushing	Bemington alarm.	1 m. 10 d. from July 27, '77.
Samuel D. Canney	At Claverack, N. Y.	1 m. 15 d. from Nov. 7, '79.
— Dean.....	Tiverton, R. I.	11 d. from Mch. 7, '81.
— Webb.....	Reinforcement at West Point.....	3 m. from Aug. 21, '81.
.....	On a R. I. privateer; close of war.....	Prisoner on the "Jersey," N. Y.
Ebenezer Brooks.	Guards at Cambridge.....	2 m. 22 d. from June 12, '78.
.....	Reinforcement at West Point.	5 m. from July 17, '80.
Brig ^m "New Broom," 16 g., of New London.....	Captured by Ariel, sloop of war, Capt. H. Mackenzie.....	Prisoner in New York, 1778-9.
Armed ship "Brutus" of Salem.	About 1781.....	" at St. Johns, Antigua.

NAME.	DESCENT.	TOWN.	RANK.	CAPTAIN OR COMPANY.
James. ⁴	James. ³ James. ² Thomas. ¹	Framingham.	Private.	Simon Edgel.
"	" " "	"	"	Jos. Morse.
"	" " "	"	"	Sam. King.
"	Daniel. ³ John. ² Thomas. ¹	Sutton (Millbury).	Captain.	
"	" " "	"	Private.	Abijah Burbank.
Jonathan. ⁴ . . .	Jonas. ³ William. ² Thomas. ¹	Sherborn.	"	Henry Leland.
"	" " "	"	Corporal.	Joshua Leland.
John. ⁵	John. ⁴ Thomas. ³ John. ² Thomas. ¹	Newton.	Private.	Amariah Fuller.
"	James. ⁴ Daniel. ³ John. ² Thomas. ¹	Sutton.	"	Abijah Burbank.
"	(Not known.)	Falmouth (Barns. Co.).	"	W ^m H. Ballard.
"	John. ³ Thomas. ² Thomas. ¹	Rehoboth.	"	Sylvanus Martin.
"	" " "	"	"	Nathaniel Ides.
"	Isaac. ⁴ Isaac. ³ Samuel. ² Nathaniel. ¹	Boston.	Fife Major. . . .	Theo. T. Bliss.
"	" " " "	"	Fifer.	John Hinckley.
"	" " " "	"	Captain.	Privateer service.
Joshua. ⁵	Nath. ⁴ Josiah. ³ John. ² Thomas. ¹	Newton.	Private.	Amariah Fuller.
"	" " " "	"	"	"
"	" " " "	"	"	Alvan Pierce.
Levi. ⁵	Joseph. ⁴ Thomas. ³ John. ² Thomas. ¹	Hubbardston.	"	David Bent.
"	" " " "	"	"	Jotham Houghton.
"	" " " "	"	"	Francis Wilson.
"	" " " "	Paxton.	"	John Cutler.
Miles. ⁴ *	Benjamin. ³ Nathaniel. ² Samuel. ¹ (?)	Cambridge (Menotomy). . . .	"	Benjamin Lock.
"	" " " "	"	"	Benjamin Lock.
"	" " " "	"	"	William Adam.
"	" " " "	"	"	John Walton.
"	" " " "	"	"	Benjamin Blaney.
"	" " " "	"	"	Stephen Frost.
Miles. ⁸	Nathaniel. ² Samuel. ¹	Salem.	First Lieut. . . .	
"	" "	"	"	Sam ¹ Flagg.
"	" "	"	Captain.	

* Grandfather of General Nath. P. Banks, of Mass.

COLONEL OR REGIMENT.	SERVICE.	TIME.
.....	Lexington alarm.....	8 dys. Apr. '75.
John Paterson.....	26 th Cont. Regt.....	8 mos. to Dec. 31, '75.
Joseph Whitney.....	Camp at Hull.....	1 m. 2 dys. from June 21, '76; 3 m. from Aug. 1, '76; 1 m. 3 d. from Nov. 1, '76.
— Learned.....	Lexington alarm.....	2½ dys. Apr. '75.
Jonathan Holman.....	Providence, R. I.	21 dys. on alarm of Oct. 10, '76.
Samuel Bullard.....	Lexington alarm.....	11 days, Apr. '75.
Abner Perry.....	R. I. alarm.....	14 d. from July 28, '80.
.....	Lexington alarm.....	1 d. Apr. '75; 28 m. travel.
Jacob Davis.....	R. I. alarm.....	13½ d. from July 30, '80.
James Frye.....	8 mos. Cont. Army.....	"Deserted," on Roll, Cambridge, Oct. 6, '75.
Thomas Carpenter.....	Bristol (R. I.) alarm.....	5 d. Dec. 8, '76; 30 m.
".....	Tiverton (R. I.) alarm.....	9 d. from July 30, '80, under Gen. Heath.
John Paterson.....	Enlisted May 5, 1775, in 26 th Cont. Regt.; 8 mos.....	Reinlisted Dec. '75, for 1 yr.
Lt. Col. Andrew Symmes,|	Guards in Boston.....	3 m. from Feb. 13, '78.
.....	Enlisted Dec., 1778, as Midshipman under Commodore J. Manley.	Rose to rank of Captain before the close of the war.
.....	Lexington alarm.....	1 d.; 28 m. travel; Ap. '75 to Head Quarters, Cambridge.
Samuel Thatcher.....	Dorchester Heights.....	5 d. from Mch. 4, '76.
Ebenezer Brooks.....	Guards at Cambridge.....	2 m. 21 d. from Jan. 13, '78.
Nathan Sparhawk.....	Bennington alarm.....	11 d. from Aug. 20, '77.
Josiah Whitney.....	R. I. alarm.....	1½ mo. from July 30, '78.
Samuel Drury.....	To New York state.....	1 m. 11 d. from Oct. 21, '79.
Luke Drury.....	Levies to recruit U. S. Army.....	3 mos. from Sept. '81.
.....	Lexington alarm.....	Rang a midnight alarm on Church bell Ap. 18, 1775, and was in the fight next day.
Thomas Gardner; after Lt. Col. W ^m Bond.	37 th Foot; 8 mos. service.....	Enlisted May 4, '75; aged 17.
Samuel Thatcher.....	Dorchester Heights, at request of Gen. Washington.....	5 dys. from Mch. 4, '76.
Ebenezer Brooks.....	At Noodle's Island.....	13 d. from Dec. 8, '76.
".....	Guards at Cambridge.....	86 d. from Jan. 12, '78.
Cyprian How.....	R. I. alarm.....	2 m. 20 d. from Aug. 10, '80.
Timothy Pickering.....	First Essex Regt.; called out on service at various times.....	Commis ^d June 6, '76.
Jacob Gerrish.....	Volunteer Co. of Guards at Cambridge.....	" July 25, '78.
".....	Guard at Cambridge; encamped on Winter Hill.....	Nov. 11, '77, to Ap. 3, '78.

NAME.	DESCENT.	TOWN.	RANK.	CAPTAIN OR COMPANY.
Miles. ³	Nathaniel, ² Samuel. ¹	Salem.	Captain.	
"	" "	"	"	2 ^d Salem Co.
"	" "	"	Representative.	
Moses. ⁴	Caleb, ³ William, ² Thomas. ¹	Holliston.	Private.	John Leland.
"	" "	"	"	
"	" "	"	"	John Boynton.
"	" "	"	"	
"	" "	"	"	Joseph Griffiths.
"	" "	"	"	Nathan Dix.
Nathaniel.	(Descendant of Thomas. ¹)	Bradford.	"	John Savory, 2 ^d Foot Co.
Nevinson. ⁴	Josiah, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Little Cambridge (Brighton)	"	Stephen Dana
"	" "	"	Corporal.	Joseph Craft.
Oliver. ⁵	John, ⁴ John, ³ Thomas, ² Thomas. ¹	Rehoboth.	Private.	Jabez Bullock
Peter. ³	Nathaniel, ² Samuel. ¹	Boston	Seaman.	George Little.
"	" "	"	"	Pierre Landais.
Samuel. ³	William, ² Thomas. ¹	Needham.	Private.	Caleb Kingsbury.
Thales. ⁵	Isaac, ⁴ Isaac, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel. ¹	Boston.	Fifer.	Caleb Champney.
Thomas Jackson. ⁵	John, ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Newton.	Private.	Amariah Fuller.
Thomas. ⁴	Caleb, ³ William, ² Thomas. ¹	Sherborn	"	Benjamin Bullard.
"	Thomas. ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas. ¹	Paxton	"	Phineas Moore
"	" "	"	"	Adam Wheeler
"	" "	"	"	Samuel Thompson
"	" "	"	"	
"	" "	"	"	Loring Lincoln.
"	prob. Caleb, ³ William, ² Thomas. ¹	Sherborn.	"	Amos Perry
"	(Not known.)		"	Jonathan Drown.
"	Nath ¹ , ⁴ John, ³ Thomas, ² Thomas. ¹	Rehoboth.	"	Thomas Willington, vice Benj. Bullard, "dis- charged."
"	" "	"	"	— Scott.
William. ⁴	James, ³ James, ² Thomas. ¹	Framingham.	"	Lawson Buckminster.
"	" "	"	"	Amos Cranston.
"	" "	"	"	— Hancock.

COLONEL OR REGIMENT.	SERVICE.	TIME.
.....	Fitted out privateers "True American," "Revenge," &c., at Salem, 1776.	
.....	Rep. for Salem, 1 st and 2 ^d Gen. Co.	Com ^d Sept. 1781.
Abijah Pierce.	Lexington alarm.	1781-'2.
.....	.....	6 days, Apr. '75.
Nathan Sparhawk, com- manded by Col. Job Cushing.	Bennington expedition.	Name on Coat Roll of Oct. 31, '75; Camp, Winter Hill.
John Jacobs. ....	.....	34 d. from Aug. 23, '77.
Samuel Johnson.	Reinforc ^{mt} to Cont. Army.	1 yr. from Aug. 1, '78.
Samuel Thatcher.	Lexington alarm.	6 m. 14 d. from June '80.
Ebenezer Craft.	Marched to Roxbury.	3½ dys. Apr. '75.
Thomas Carpenter.	At Boston.	2 dys. from Mch. 4, '76.
.....	R. I. alarm; to Tiverton.	5 dys. from Dec. 9, '76.
.....	"Winthrop" sloop of Boston.	14 dys. from July 27, '80, and 48 m. travel.
.....	U. S. Frigate "Alliance," 1779.	6 mos. from Mch. 19 (no year).
Aaron Davis.	Lexington alarm.	Died a prisoner of war.
(M. Gen. Gates)	Gnards in and about Boston.	2 d. Apr. '75; 30 m. travel; this Co. was ac- tively engaged.
— Pierce.	Lexington alarm.	2 m. 21 d. from Mch. 21, '79.
Eph. Doolittle.	"	1 d. Ap. '75; 28 m. travel.
"	"	3½ d. Apr. '75.
Samuel Denny; Maj. Asa Baldwin's Division.	8 mos. service.	8 d. Apr. '75.
Samuel Denny; Lt. Col. Benj. Flagg's command.	.....	To Dec. 31, '75; encamped on Winter Hill.
Abner Perry.	Bennington alarm; they marched to Hadley.	1 m. from Sept. 26, '77.
Gamaliel Bradford.	R. I. alarm.	5 d. Aug. '77.
Asa Whitcomb.	Plymouth Co. Regt.	6 d. from July 22, '80.
.....	6th Foot; at Ticonderoga Nov. '76.	May 15 to June 27, '77.
Henry Jackson.	16th Foot; enlisted at Providence.	Enlisted to close of '76.
Lt. Col. Sam ^l Pierce.	At Tiverton, on R. I. alarm.	3 yrs. from June 9, '77.
Samuel Denny.	In Continental service; he is called "of Sudbury."	1 m. 20 d. from May 15, '79.
.....	In Continental service; marched from Springfield July 14.	3 m. from Oct. 28, '79.
.....	5 m. 4 d. from July 10, '80.





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